UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

WANDA BASNIGHT, v.	Plaintiff,)))	NO: 2:09-CV-00014-BR
DOLGENCORP, INC.,	Defendant)	
MELVIN ANDREWS,	Plaintiff,))	
v. DOLGENCORP, INC.,	Defendant)))	NO: 4:09-CV-00051-BR
DONALD CIVILS,	Defendant)	
v. DOLGENCORP, INC.,	Plaintiff,)))	NO: 4:09-CV-00054-BR
	Defendant)	
SHELIA HARPER,	Plaintiff,))	
v. DOLGENCORP, INC.,)))	NO: 4:09-CV-00055-BR
	Defendant)	

TONYA GORE,)	
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	Plaintiff,)	
v.)	NO: 7:09-CV-00046-BR
DOLGENCORP, INC.,)	
)	
	Defendant)	

ORDER

This matter is before the court on the 23 August 2011 Memorandum and Recommendation ("M&R") of Magistrate Judge James E. Gates on the parties' joint motion to approve settlements in the above-captioned cases. Judge Gates set the deadline for filing of any objections to the M&R as 29 August 2011, and no party has filed objections. The court adopts the M&R as its own, and for the reasons stated therein, the motion is ALLOWED and the settlements are hereby APPROVED.

This 30 August 2011.

W. Earl Britt

Senior U.S. District Judge